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# Appointment of three new members to the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

## Note by the Secretary-General

### Addendum

1. The Secretary-General has been informed of the resignation of Pascal Saint-Amans (France), Patricia A. Brown (United States of America) and Nobuyuki Nakamura (Japan) as members of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters. In accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/69, the Secretary-General has therefore decided to appoint Christian Comolet-Tirman (France), Liselott Kana (Chile) and Robin Oliver (New Zealand) to complete the terms of office of, respectively, Mr. Saint-Amans, Ms. Brown and Mr. Nakamura, which expire on 30 June 2009.

2. Biographical information on Mr. Comolet-Tirman, Ms. Kana and Mr. Oliver is contained in the annex to the present note.

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## Annex

### Biographical information

**I. Name**: Mr. Christian **Comolet-Tirman**

**Nationality**: France

**Present position**

Head, European Affairs and International Relations, Department of Tax Policy Directorate, Ministry of Economy, France

**Previous positions**

Head, Legal Affairs Department, General Tax Directorate, Ministry of Finance

Head, VAT Unit, Tax Policy Directorate, Ministry of Economy

General Secretary, French Chamber of Commerce and Industry Association

**Education**

Bachelor's degree, Institute of Political Science, Paris

Postgraduate studies, French Senior Civil Service School (ENA)

**II. Name**: Ms. Liselott **Kana**

**Nationality**: Chile

**Present position**

Head, Department of International Legislation, Internal Revenue Service, Chile

**Previous positions**

Head, Department of Free Trade of the Americas, Directorate of International Economic Relations, Ministry of External Relations

Foreign Investment Committee, Ministry of Economy

Tax Department, Arthur Andersen & Co., London

**Education**

Bachelor of Law degree, University of Stockholm, Sweden

Master of Law degree, London School of Economics, London, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

## III. **Name**: Mr. Robin **Oliver**

**Nationality**: New Zealand

**Present positions**

Deputy Commissioner, Inland Revenue, New Zealand

Deputy Chair, Committee on Fiscal Affairs, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

**Previous positions**

Taxation partner, Arthur Andersen & Co., New Zealand

Taxation partner, McLeod Lojkine Associates, New Zealand

Taxation Manager, KPMG Peat Marwick

Chief Economic and Financial Analyst, New Zealand Treasury

**Education**

Bachelor's degree in History and Political Science, University of Auckland

Master's degree in Political Science, University of Auckland

LLB, University of Auckland